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SUBJECT: REQUEST FOR QUOTA FOR AMERICAN WINES

1) IN JANUARY 1975 A COPY OF A STUDY ON THE MARKET
FOR AMERICAN WINE IN MEXICO PREPARED BY THE WINE INSTI-
TUTE WAS POUCHED TO EMBASSY'S COMMERCIAL ATTACHE WITH
REQUEST NO ACTION BE TAKEN UNTIL REQUESTED BY DEPARTMENT.

2) WINE INSTITUTE NOW ADVISES THAT IT WOULD LIKE TO APPLY
FOR AN INITIAL ANNUAL IMPORT QUOTA OF FORTY THOUSAND
CASES OF U.S. WINE. WHILE WE WOULD PREFER THAT MEXICO
NOT IMPOSE ANY QUANTITATIVE LIMITATIONS ON WINE,
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PRAGMATICALLY WE WISH TO APPLY FOR A QUOTA. FYI - IT IS

NOTED THAT WE HAVE OPPOSED WORLDWIDE THE IMPOSITION OF
SUCH QUOTAS. END FYI

3) ACTION REQUESTED: EMBASSY IS REQUESTED TO TAKE UP
QUESTION OF AN IMPORT QUOTA FOR U.S. WINES WITH APPRO-
PRIATE MEXICAN OFFICIALS REQUESTING A QUOTA OF FORTY
THOUSAND CASES FOR 1975, POINTING OUT, IF DEEMED APPRO-
PRIATE, THE ABSENCE OF U.S. QUOTA RESTRICTIONS ON IMPORTS
OF MEXICAN WINE. THE EMBASSY ALSO IS REQUESTED TO REVIEW
AND COMMENT ON THE STUDY INCLUDING THE MEASURES RECOMMENDED
BY THE WINE INSTITUTE. AN ASSESSMENT OF THE POSSIBILITY
AND MANNER OF ACHIEVING THESE MEASURES AND ANY RECOM-
MENDATIONS THE EMBASSY MAY HAVE IN THIS CONNECTION WOULD

BE APPRECIATED. THE DEPARTMENT WILL REVIEW THESE
COMMENTS FOR POSSIBLE FUTURE ACTION.

4) PLEASE KEEP THE DEPARTMENT INFORMED OF DEVELOPMENTS
CONCERNING THE REQUEST FOR A WINE IMPORT QUOTA.   KISSINGER

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